



# ARDMORE PARK QUARRY COMMUNITY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

**Meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019**  
Bungonia Progress Community Hall

# Key Points

- Voluntary planning agreement with Council
- Modification 3
- Quarry operations
- Environmental results
- Incidents/complaints



# VPA Update



- VPA agreement terms have been finalised.
- Waiting final legal sign off.
- Road reseal to occur in November (currently underway).

# Modification 3 Update



- Independent Planning Commission (IPC) will make a determination on the proposal and the consent of the quarry will be updated following this.
- We have not been advised of when this will occur - expect early 2020.

# Extraction

- Sand mining has continued in the southern corner of the extraction area.
- A new pit has been opened at the east corner of the sand extraction area.
- Rock mining has been undertaken periodically.
- Average approximately 30 trucks per day.



# Environmental

- Air quality (dust), water sampling and noise assessments have been conducted.
- No exceedances of the dust deposition targets have occurred this year (one outlier, near front entrance).
- Water levels remain largely stable.
- No contaminants identified in water testing so far.
- 21<sup>st</sup> August is the anniversary date for the Environment Licence of the quarry.
- AEMR (Annual Report) is on the quarry website [www.mqquarry.com.au](http://www.mqquarry.com.au)



# Website

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#### ENVIRONMENTAL AUDITS

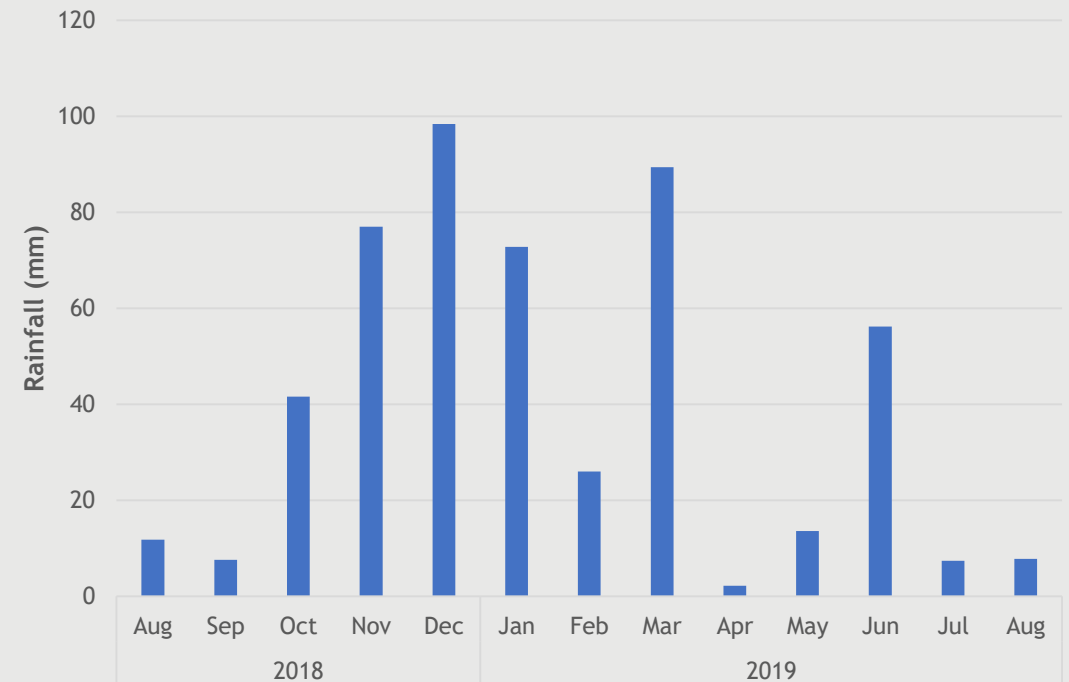
#### ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING

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- Address is [www.mqquarry.com.au/media/](http://www.mqquarry.com.au/media/)
- Two documents:
  - AEMR updated annually
  - Environmental Monitoring Results – updated quarterly
- Also contains copies of CCC minutes and current management plans.

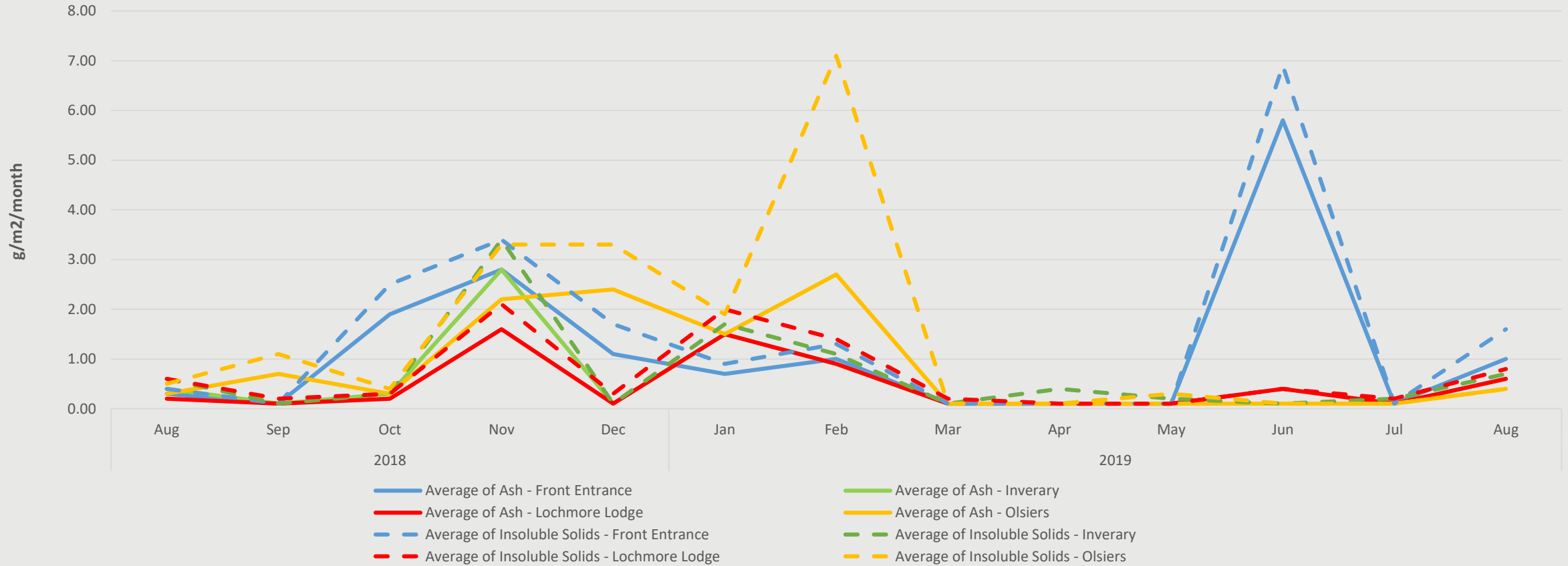
# Weather Monitoring

- Weather station on Ardmore Park.
- Climate data presented in AEMR:
  - *Rainfall*
  - *Temperature*
  - *Wind (direction and strength)*
  - *Bushfire Danger Index*
- Typical weather conditions throughout the year.
- Rainfall down 25% from long term average.

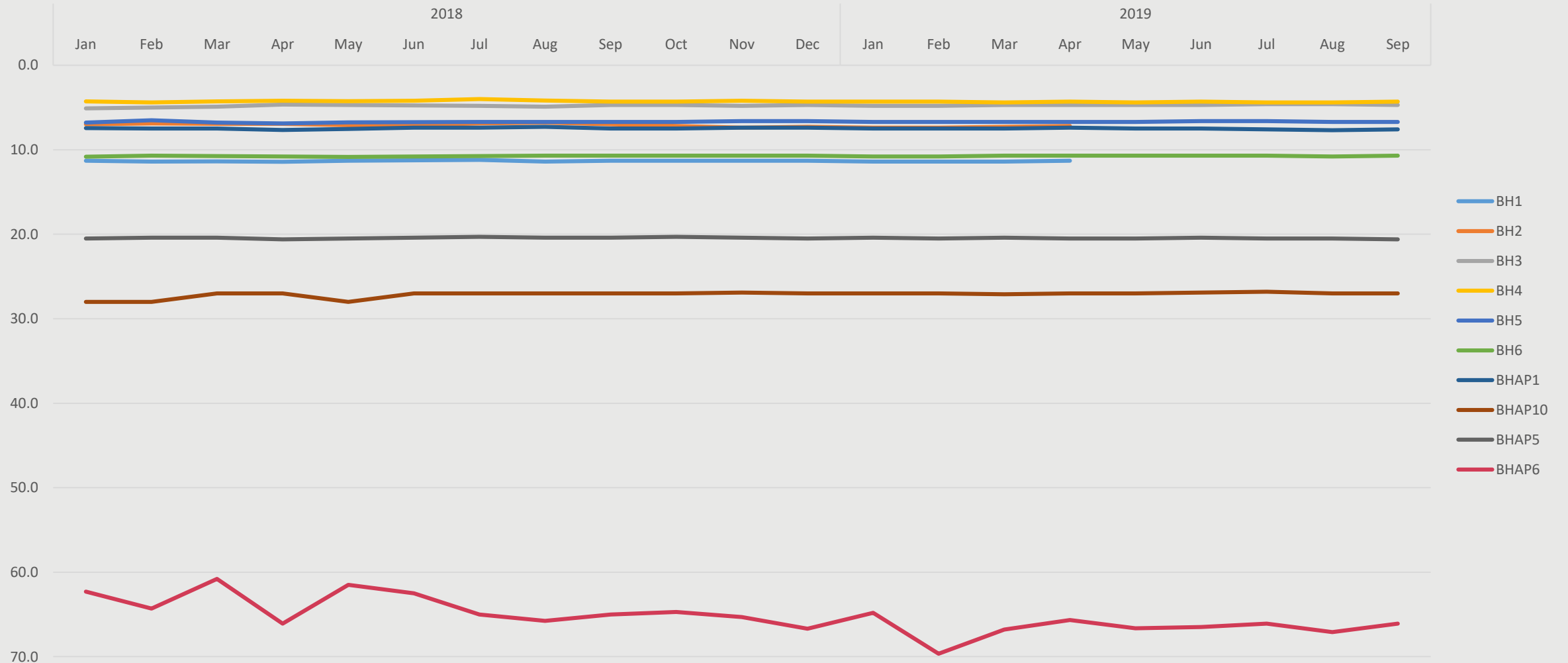




# Deposited Dust



# Monitoring Bore Depth



# Water Quality

- Water samples from sand bores and springs are sampled quarterly. Rock bores are sampled annually.
- Samples are sent to a NATA approved lab for analysis.
- Analysis is for several metals, cations/anions, physical properties and hydrocarbons.
- No significant changes were identified in the monitoring results collected throughout the year.
- No evidence of pollution e.g. hydrocarbons running offsite was detected.
- Results are on the company website – both under the AEMR and a document called “Environmental Monitoring Results”.

# Noise

- Noise assessment to be undertaken November this year.
- Noise assessments are conducted by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party consultant.
- Measurements are taken as the weighted average over a 15 minute period.
- All monitoring results were found to be compliant in previous reporting period.

# Incidents & OHS

- No reportable OHS incidents have occurred since the previous meeting at the quarry.
- Audit by WorkSafe NSW.
  - *Assessed broad range of OHS concerns.*
  - *Focus on respirable silica exposure & worker safety.*

# Complaints

- 3 complaints received since previous CCC meeting.
- All related to visible dust generated on quarry site.
- Dust deposition gauges suggest dust is not migrating offsite, but the quarry has an obligation to reduce all fugitive dust.
- Detailed description of complaints received over the reporting year is included in the AEMR. A total of 10 were received between 21<sup>st</sup> August 2018 and 20<sup>th</sup> August 2019.

# For Next Meeting

- Expect to have determination on Modification 3. Any changes to the project approval will be discussed at next meeting.
- Council-organised roadworks should be complete.
- Update on:
  - *Extraction rates/notable activities.*
  - *Environmental monitoring.*
  - *Any incidents.*

